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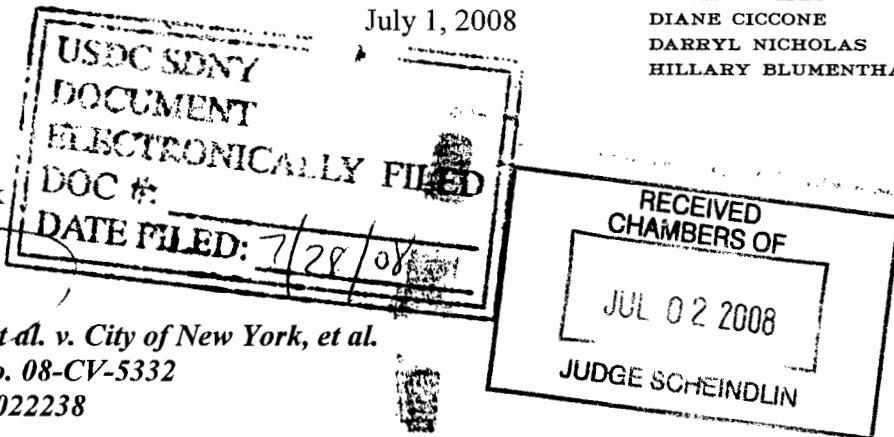
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Hon. Shira A. Scheindlin  
 United States District Judge  
 Southern District of New York  
 500 Pearl Street, Room 1620  
 New York, NY 10007

RE: *Vandermark, et al. v. City of New York, et al.*  
 Civil Action No. 08-CV-5332  
 City No. 2008-022238



Dear Judge Scheindlin:

Our firm represents Service Employees International Union Local 300, one of the Defendants in the above-captioned matter. I have received Defendant's co-counsel's request for an extension of time to answer or otherwise respond to Plaintiff's Complaint from July 1, 2008, to September 1, 2008. Plaintiff also has asserted a Cause of Action against Local 300 under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act. For the reasons set forth in co-counsel's request and in view of my work schedule, I join in the request for an extension of time until September 1, 2008, to respond to Plaintiff's Complaint.

I thank the Court for your consideration of this request.

Very truly yours,

MIRKIN & GORDON, P.C.

By

Joel Spivak, Esq., Of Counsel

Defendant Service Employees International Union Local 300's request is granted. Defendant's time to move or answer plaintiff's complaint is extended from July 1, 2008 to September 1, 2008.

Date: July 25, 2008 Shira A. Scheindlin, USDC

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